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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Mitsuhiro TOGASHI

Application No. 09/818,935

Filed: March 28, 2001

For: TILT DETECTOR

Group Art Unit: 2877

Examiner: Tu Tuan Nguyen

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated December 17, 2002, the period for response to which extends through March 17, 2003, please amend the above identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2 and 3 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claim 1 as follows:

1. (Amended) A tilt detector for detecting a tilt of a recording surface of an optical disc,

comprising:

light emitting means for emitting a divergent beam of light to be incident on said recording surface of said optical disc;

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